

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Ranjan SACHDEV	)
Application No.: 10/697,791	) Confirmation No.: 1144
Filed: October 30, 2003	) Group Art Unit: 3626
For: PATIENT IDENTIFICATION CARD AND METHOD FOR HIPAA COMPLAINT CHECK-IN	) Examiner: Nguyen, Tran N. )

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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Restriction dated February 25, 2009, the period of response to which extends to August 25, 2009, with payment of a five-month extension of time, Applicant respectfully submits an election of claims, and requests examination of the above-identified application.

In the Election Requirement under 35 U.S.C. § 121, the Examiner required an election between the following groups:

(claims 1, 27), drawn to a human ID card;
(claims 2, 28), drawn to a human ID card;
(claims 3, 29), drawn to a human ID card;
(claims 4, 30), drawn to a human ID card;
(claims 5, 31), drawn to a human ID card;
(claims 6, 32), drawn to a human ID card;
(claims 7-9), drawn to a method of retrieving patient data;
(claims 10-12), drawn to a method of retrieving patient data;
(claims 13-15), drawn to a method of retrieving patient data;
(claims 16-18), drawn to a method of retrieving patient data;